

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

**STANDING HEARING OFFICER DIRECTIVE**

**DOCKET NO. 2019-281-S ORDER NO. 2020-46-H**

**JUNE 9, 2020**

**Standing Hearing Officer: David Butler**

**DOCKET DESCRIPTION:**

**Application of Palmetto Utilities, Incorporated for Adjustment (Increase) of Rates and Charges, Terms and Conditions, for Sewer Service Provided to Customers in Its Richland and Kershaw County Service Areas**

**MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:**

**Motion of ORS for Consolidated Response to Two Filings Made by Palmetto Utilities on June 5, 2020**

**HEARING OFFICER'S ACTION:**

**The Standing Hearing Officer hereby grants the ORS's motion for leave to file a single consolidated response to the two filings made by Palmetto Utilities on June 5, 2020. However, in order to allow the Commission to rule upon the pending motions expeditiously, the due dates of the ORS's returns and the Company's replies must be shortened. Pursuant to Regulation 103-829, the Standing Hearing Officer establishes Friday, June 12 as the due date for the ORS's filing. The Company's reply shall be filed no later than noon on Tuesday, June 16. This will allow the Commission to rule on the motions at its regular business meeting on Wednesday, June 17. This schedule will allow the parties adequate time to conform their preparations for the June 30 hearing to the Commission's ruling.**